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<u>AMENDMENT</u>

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of April 25, 2006, and in view of the concurrently filed Petition for One-Month Extension of Time, please amend the claims in the above-identified application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.